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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit: 2124

Examiner: Mr. Jason D. Mitchell

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action of September 2, 2004, the period for reply to which has been set to expire on December 2, 2004.

A fee of \$ \(\begin{aligned} \beta \cdot \end{aligned} \) is believed to be needed, and should be charged to the Assignee's Deposit Account number 09-0465. Should this fee calculation be erroneous, however, any greater or lesser fee that may be needed can be charged to the same Deposit Account.

Please amend the above-identified application as specified on the following pages, and then reconsider the application in view of the Remarks that are presented thereafter.

FEE ENCLOSED:\$ Please charge any furth fee to our Deposit Acco

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